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Governor and Ex-Congressman Fight

Gov. Davis and Hugh A. Dinsmore, former Congressman, had a lively personal encounter in the Washington Hotel, at Fayetteville, Ark., Sunday night, in which both men were injured, the governor the more severely.

The governor left Fort Smith late Sunday night to visit Fayetteville. There he met Dinsmore and Jack Walker, a traveling man, in the rotunda. Dinsmore asked for a private interview. Davis agreed, taking one of his friends to the room. Dinsmore there demanded a letter written by him to United States Senator Berry, who is a candidate for re-election, and against whom Davis is running, which it is alleged had mysteriously disappeared from the postoffice, and later turned up in the hands of Davis, who was using it for campaign purposes.

In a statement given out later, the governor declared he had been assaulted in the room. At any rate, he came running out calling for the police. The others of the party followed, and Dinsmore overtook Davis on the steps and again demanded the return of the letter. Davis replied that it was in Little Rock, but continued to call for the police.

Dinsmore then called Davis "a liar and a thief," whereupon the governor hit him over the head with a heavy cane, breaking the cane. The governor grabbed the heavy end of the cane as if for further use. Dinsmore was only stunned and quickly arose with a revolver in his hand. Davis started to run, with Dinsmore after him.

Dinsmore beat the governor over the face and head with the gun, chasing him over the rotunda of the hotel. Davis begged Dinsmore not to kill him, and offered no defense to the blows which were rained upon his head.

After Dinsmore arose and started after Davis a man named Moore, one of Davis's adherents, drew a revolver and started to interfere in Davis's behalf. Walker placed a revolver at Moore's breast and forced him into a corner. Davis finally escaped.

Doctors took fourteen stitches in wounds on the governor's head. Dinsmore was only slightly bruised.

Assaulted in St. Petersburg.

Robert Woods Bliss, of New York, second secretary of the American Embassy, who has just returned to St. Petersburg after three months' vacation in Paris, was the victim of an outrage by roudies in one of the most fashionable streets of the Russian capital late Sunday night, and only escaped being beaten to death through the timely arrival of the police.

Charge d'Affaires Eddy has reported the affair to the authorities at Washington, but, as the incident was a plain case of rowdyism, he probably will not make official representation at the foreign office at St. Petersburg unless instructed to do so.

Mr. Bliss was returning to the embassy on foot from the yacht club, where he had been dining.

On the Horse Guard Boulevard, opposite the barracks of the Chevaller Guard, the secretary was suddenly set upon by two young men, who sprang out of the darkness of the trees. Mr. Bliss knocked down one of his assailants, but was seized by sympathizers of the rowdies, who had been attracted to the spot by the disturbance, and he was getting the worst of it, when three policemen and a house porter came to Mr. Bliss's rescue and seized his assailants.

The rapidly gathering crowd, however, which promptly sided against the police, rushed at the officers and rescued the prisoners. The police managed to stand off the crowd and cover the retreat of Mr. Bliss, who was badly cut about the face but not seriously injured.

Yesterday a police captain visited the embassy and apologized for the attack on Secretary Bliss, but he warned the members of the embassy that the streets were very unsafe, especially the boulevard, which is the rendezvous of rowdies and soldiers and sailors in civilian clothes. The captain advised the members of the embassy to go armed in future, and not to venture in the streets at night except in carriages.

Charge d'Affaires Eddy yesterday afternoon sent a note to Count Lamsdorff, the foreign minister, calling his attention to the assault on Mr. Bliss, but making no demands.

A Creeping Death.

Blood poison creeps up towards the heart, causing death. J. E Stearns, Belle Plaine, Minn., writes that a friend dreadfully injured his hand, which swelled up like blood poisoning. Bucklen's Arnica Salve drew out the poison, healed the wound, and save his life. Best in the world for burns and sores, 25c at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store.

Herb W. Edwards Injured.

Herb W. Edwards, of Des Moines, Iowa, got a fall on an icy walk last winter, spraining his wrist and bruising his knees. "The next day," he says, "they were so sore and stiff I was afraid I would have to stay in bed, but I rubbed them well with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and after a few applications all soreness had disappeared. I feel that this bottle of Pain Balm saved me several days' time, to say nothing of the suffering." This liniment is for sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

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Sultan to Yield.

The Vienna Neue Freie Presse yesterday published dispatch from Constantinople, saying that the Sultan, through Tewfik Pasha, the foreign minister, has announced to Baron von Callice, the ambassador of Austria-Hungary, that Turkey accedes to the demands of the powers regarding the financial control of Macedonia.

A dispatch from Constantinople says that the instructions to the commanders of the international fleet were to land detachments and occupy Mytilene at 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon unless contrary orders reached them in the interim. Presumably, therefore, the capital of the island is now in the hands of the allied forces. It was arranged in the interview between Tewfik Pasha, the minister of foreign affairs, and the British and Austrian ambassadors on Saturday that if by 8 o'clock Saturday night the ambassadors received a written notification from the Minister promising acceptance of the demands of the powers the ambassadors would telegraph to the fleet at Mytilene to suspend further operations until Monday. No communication, however, was received, so it is suggested that instructions staying the hands of the commanders of the international fleet have not been dispatched.

The London Daily Mail publishes the following dispatch from Mytilene, dated November 27: "Eight warships of the combined fleet arrived here at 8 o'clock this morning. Admiral Ritter von Jedina, accompanied by the Austrian consul, proceeded to government house at 10:30 o'clock and handed an ultimatum to the governor. At 1 o'clock this afternoon 500 sailors landed and seized the customs and telegraph offices. Everything is quiet."

Disorders in Spain.

War Minister Weyler has left Madrid for Barcelona to investigate and repress Catalonian disorders. These have assumed serious proportions between the military and separatist elements.

A number of street demonstrations have occurred, during which the troops have been jeered, the crowds crying: "Death to Spain!" "Long live free Catalonia!" The government reports show that the military forces are now masters of the situation, but the troops are held in their quarters, owing to fears of another collision between the population favorable to Spain and the minority favorable to separation.

General Weyler expects to remain five days in Catalonia. He has been authorized to take all the measures necessary to restore order.

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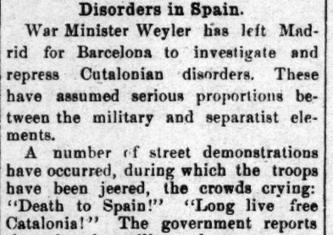

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417 S. Lee.....8 rooms, a. m. i..... 16 00
120 N. St. Asaph 7 rooms, a. m. i..... 18 00
1119 Prince.....6 rooms, a. m. i..... 13 00
412 N. Patrick...8 rooms, a. m. i..... 15 00
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New Linen Dinner Napkins, dozen..... $2.00
New Linen Dinner Napkins, dozen..... $2.50
New Linen Dinner Napkins, dozen..... $3.00
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New Linen Dinner Napkins, dozen..... $5.00

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New White Fringed Napkins, dozen... 75c
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We are showing our new importation of fancy Japanese China articles for the holiday trade, many one of a kind articles, which cannot be duplicated. Let us show them to you now when the stock is full and complete. Any article will be reserved for future delivery.

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I am now prepared to receive the State Taxes for the year 1905. The attention of taxpayers is respectfully called to the importance of paying the same prior to December 1, 1905; as on that date a penalty of five per cent. will be added to all unpaid bills, and their collection enforced as required by law.

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Alexandria Gazette
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TUESDAY EVENING, NOV. 28, 1905.

JAMES RICHARDSON, who was shot and killed by policemen on the confines of Alexandria yesterday, was the second colored man who deliberately forfeited his life in the same vicinity during the past two months. Both were resisting arrest and attempting to kill officers of the law and had to be shot down. The two men were killed in a neighborhood which has recently been the scene of a number of highway robberies, as well as several attempts to hold up people going to or returning from the new depot. The footpads have been negroes in every case. The circumstances in connection with a negro forcibly depriving a man of his overcoat last Saturday night on King street extended, as well at the robbery of a colored man at 3 o'clock last Sunday afternoon almost within a stone's throw of the new union depot, were given in yesterday's Gazette. The locality is partly in Fairfax and partly in Alexandria county, and law officers of either are seldom seen in the neighborhood, hence negroes who work for railroad companies and live in camps go armed and become a menace to quiet people who are compelled to live near them or others whose business or inclination take them to the confines of the city. A year or two ago many persons imagined that the multitudes of Italians, Hungarians, Greeks and others who would be engaged in the new railroad work around Alexandria would give the authorities much trouble. The foreigners, as a rule, have been well behaved and enter and leave the city in an orderly manner. Negroes cause the trouble, and they are invariably members of a class that comes from other States. Most of the colored race who have been born in and around Alexandria are not of the same genus, and occasion but little trouble.

AMONG THE recent events is the passing of Senator Platt from politics—that is as leader of the party in New York—and the accession of Congressman Herbert Parsons to the position held no long by the senior Senator. The latter says he is too old to handle the reins any longer. The cartoonists especially will miss Mr. Platt, as they were wont to picture him in all sorts of characters. He is now in the sere and yellow leaf, virtually helpless and in future will be a spectator in presidential and New York State campaigns. Platt has served his party well. His successor may be a capable man, but that he will prove as expert at the helm as did his predecessor remains to be seen. While political diplomacy may be acquired to a certain degree after a long apprenticeship is allowed, that it is inborn in some is apparent. It is so in the case of the astute Platt. It was a most pleasant occupation for him and he was never happier than while pulling the strings. An active and busy man all his life, being at the head of an express company, he has always found opportunity to gratify his favorite pastime, and has thereby kept himself prominently before the country for the past third of a century. He is now about to lay down a work which has been above everything else most pleasant to him.

DECLARING that the large number of preachers and churches in the towns and the country places of Luzerne county, Pa., is "a sinful and shameful instance of wastefulness," Rev. Henry Crydenwise, of Forty Fort, near Wilkesbarre, appealed at the meeting of the Methodist Ministerial Association yesterday for a sensible consideration of the question. He mentioned a number of towns and villages in the Wyoming Conference where, he said, there are twice as many ministers and churches as are necessary. The observations of Rev. Mr. Crydenwise apply with equal force to many places beside those he mentioned.

THOUGH only three weeks have elapsed since the last gubernatorial election, the result of which has not yet been officially announced, and though the successful candidate will not enter upon the duties of his office for fully two months, there are those among the politicians who have already begun to pick out their choice for four years hence for the nomination. Such previousness should be nipped in the bud. For the love of grace let's be off with one election before we are on with another.

IN THE U. S. Naval Academy investigation now going on, the testimony of the upper classmen indicates that the rules were made by the upper classmen and redounded particularly to their benefit. The statement was made that if a man offended the class above him he was systematically called out by the offended class till some man was found who could knock him out. And this is the boasted "code of honor!" Why the whole thing is dishonorable from start to finish.

NOW THAT the "oath bound" cadets at the V. M. I. have been expelled it is hoped that the quiet and order of that well governed institution will be resumed and remain uninterrupted for many years to come.

IT DID not take the Cubans long to adopt American customs. It has been discovered that Cuban registration shows more names than the male population of the island.

STANDING before a newspaper bulletin in Boston on Saturday reading the football news, a man dropped dead. The game seems to be dangerous at any distance.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, D. C., Nov. 28.

President Roosevelt has decided in favor of the construction of a lock canal at Panama at a level of 30 feet. This is the type of canal recommended by the five American engineers who signed the minority report of the board of consulting engineers. They rejected all plans for higher levels because they involved too many locks and therefore too much delay in the passing of ships. They calculate that the canal on the 30 feet level can be completed in ten years at a cost of $165,000,000. While the majority of the board of consulting engineers through the votes of the foreign members recommenedd a sea-level canal with one tidal lock at Panama, the President agrees with the minority that the additional advantages of that type added a cost of about $90,000,000 and the five years longer that it would take to build. Four thousand additional laborers have been put at work on the canal within the last few weeks, and total now engaged on the canal aggregates 17,000.

The movement to change the date of the inauguration of President from March 4 to some later spring date received much encouragement today at a meeting here of the national committee on proposed change. Forty-four governors of States and Territories and fifteen Washingtonians are members of the committee and while few of the former were able to attend the meeting at 1:30 p. m. in the office of Commissioner Macfarland, letters were read from nearly all. A number of governors were in favor of the choice of the last Thursday in April, while others thought it wise to return to April 30, the date of the first inauguration of Washington. After these letters were read the members entered into a long discussion of the question. A summary of the governors' answers was made to determine which date should be recommended. Consideration was given to the subject of recommending an amendment to the constitution, changing the date of the convening of Congress, but the general opinion was against such a recommendation.

President and Mrs. Roosevelt will attend the Army and Navy football game at Princeton on Saturday. They will be accompanied by Miss Ethel Roosevelt, Miss Hagner, Secretary and Mrs. Root and son, Capt. and Mrs. Cowles, and several others. The journey will be made by special train.

The new public printer, Charles A. Stillings, of Boston, was formally sworn into office this morning at the government printing office His first act was to appoint Oscar J. Ricketts, who has been acting as public printer since the dismissal of Frank Palmer, as foreman of printing. Mr. Stillings announced that, for the present at least, there would be no change in the personnel of the office. Capt. H. C. Brian, who as chief clerk administered the oath to Mr. Stillings, was invited to remain in his present position.

U. S. Minister Squiers reports from Havana, Cuba, under yesterday's date, that two suspected cases of yellow fever were discovered there on Saturday. On Sunday there were three more suspects and two cases were confirmed. On Monday one case was confirmed and one case was denied.

Announcement was made today at the State Department of the appointment of Henry W. Furniss, of Indiana, as U. S. Minister to Haiti, to succeed Minister Powell.

William G. Crawford was this morning placed on trial in the postoffice cases before Justice Wright in Criminal Court No. 1. Crawford was jointly indicated with August W. Machen, George E. Lorenz, and Mrs. Lorenz, for conspiracy in connection with the sale of letter carrier satchels and straps to the department.

It was learned today that the principal subject discussed at the White House conference last night between the President and Secretaries Root and Taft, Senator Knox and Commissioner of Corporations Garfield was the matter of railroad rate legislation. As a result of the conference, it is stated authoritatively that the President has decided not to recede one iota from his declared railroad policy. He will urge the passage of a law in accordance with his views announced in his Raleigh speech, and will not listen to any proposition for a compromise.

John B. Appleby, a carpenter, while working on a building at First and M streets, southeast, this morning, fell a distance of 52 feet, killing himself instantly.

The State Department is without advices of any kind from Russia today. It is therefore still in official ignorance of the attack by roughs upon Robert Woods Bliss the second secretary of the American Embassy, which occurred night before last in St. Petersburg.

The Secretary of the Navy today accepted the resignation of Midshipman White, of California, of the fourth class at the Naval Academy. Midshipman White gave as his reason for resigning the fact that he considered himself "unfit for the service" and had found the Naval Academy distasteful to him.

The horses attached to a brick team while crossing Long Bridge this morning became frightened and ran away. The driver, Richard Lewis, was thrown out. His skull was fractured and both legs were broken.

Convassed Recent Election.

The State Board of Canvassers met in Richmond yesterday to canvas the returns in the recent election for members of the Legislature, Commissioners of Agriculture, Superintendent of Public Instruction and Secretary of the Commonwealth. The other State officers are themselves on the Board of Canvassers and therefore will, under the law wait for the Legislature to count their vote. The result of today's count was as follows: Superintendent of Public Instruction—J. D. Eggleston, jr., 84,644; J. N. Harman, 45,462. Total, 130,106. Commissioner of Agriculture—G. W. Koiner, 83,639; William H Eggborn, 45,022. Total, 128,661. The vote was gone over by counties and cities, and only two unimportant errors were discovered, and they were in transcribing the returns to the book containing the list of members. It was said that there was a single contest to be made, and that will go to the general assembly. Charles S. Turner, republican, who was defeated by J. M. Barker, jr., of Axton the democratic nominee in Henry county, alleged that he should have been elected a member of the House. Barker had a majority of 199. The members of the board have no knowledge of the affair and took the returns and certified to them declaring the result.

News of the Day.

Forty girls became panic-stricken during a fire in Philadelphia yesterday and were with difficulty restrained from leaping from windows.

Mrs. Edward Gustason, an insane woman, who shot her husband in South Norwalk, Ct., Sunday, committed suicide in a sanitarium yesterday.

Mill No. 4, of the plant of the International Pulp Company, located at Hailesboro, N. Y., was totally destroyed by fire, yesterday, entailing a loss of $100,000.

An explosion in the mixing house and in one of the packing houses at the Keystone Powder Works at Emporium, Pa., yesterday, destroyed the entire works, killing nine men and injuring several others.

The President has decided to retain Maj. John Biddle, Corps of Engineers, in the office of engineer commissioner of the District of Columbia until the completion of certain engineering works in which he is engaged.

The new German financial budget estimates for 1906 show expenditures to be $601,500,000, an increase of $47,750,000, and the new taxes to be imposed are expected to increase the revenue by $39,000,000.

Americans on the Isle of Pines Saturday ratified the election of a delegate to Congress and territorial officers. It was understood, however, that there will be no assumption of any office except by the United States' authority.

The Russian authorities hope to starve into submission the mutinous sailors at Sebastapol, realizing that the troops, if ordered to do so, would not fire upon the men. The mutiny is spreading among the crews of the Black Sea fleet.

The Rooseveltian creed is being conspicuously exemplied in the household of Mr. and Mrs. George Horner, of Linden Hall, Pa. The eighteenth child, a son, has just been born to them, though the mother is but 41 and twins have come but once.

The court martial which recently tried Commander Lucien Young, United States navy, on chargee growing out of the boiler explosion on the gunboat Bennington, in San Diego harbor, has recommended that Commander Young be reprimanded, but receive no further punishment.

Mrs. Leslie Carter, who appeared in "Zaza" at the Belasco in Pittsburg last week, left for Philadelphia Saturday night, guarded by private detectives. These unusual precautions were taken by Mrs. Carter on account of a wealthy New Yorker who has been following her all over the country.

The Postoffice Department has finally decided the vexed question of the postmastership at Charles Town, W. Va. Capt. H. C. Getzendanner, who had the recommendation of Senator Elkins for the place, will be appointed by the President. The incumbent, George Porterfield, will be allowed to serve out his term, which does not expire until 1907.

Amid great excitement cotton prices advanced 26 to 35 points in New York yesterday to above the 12 cent mark, breaking the records for more than a year. The bulge was due to a panic among the bears, whose leader, Theodore H. Price, announced his retirement, on the ground that "it is idle to ignore the fact that the size of the cotton crop has become a political and sectional issue."

It is said that President Roosevelt is by no means occupying the position of the relentless victor in the railroad fight that certain friends of rate legislation represent him to be. Indeed, it is said on good authority that the President regards the fight for rate regulation far from won and that he expects quite as much trouble from the shippers' associations as from the railroads. He also is working for a compromise.

H. Morgan Campbell, jr., of Pittsburg, son of a wealthy steel magnate of that city, wants to be freed from his chorus-girl wife and has asked the Connecticut courts to divorce him. Papers in the suit were served on Mrs. Campbell last week. Campbell alleges that he was married January 2, 1902, and that his wife deserted him February 10 of the same year and has refused to live with him. Desertion is the only ground alleged.

On motion of counsel for the defense, Judge Van De Vanter, in the U. S. Circuit Court in St. Louis, yesterday, postponed until Wednesday morning next passing of a sentence upon United States Senator J. R. Burton, of Kansas, convicted of having acted as the paid attorney of the Rialto Grain and Securities Company before the Postoffice Department. On Wednesday the defense will present its reasons for asking a new trial.

Because of disappointment in a love affair, Miss Martha Blackburn, daughter of a prominent citizen of Huntington, W. Va., threw herself under the wheels of a Camden Interstate Railway car near her home Sunday night and was crushed to death. Her body was horribly mangled, both lower limbs being severed. Miss Blackburn, it is said, was in love with John Walsh, a young man of Kenova, to whom she was engaged. A short time before her suicide she saw him walking with another girl, and this is believed to have been the cause of her sudden and successful attempt at suicide.

Gen. Joseph Lancaster Brent, who fought in the Confederate army, died yesterday afternoon, after long illness, due to his advanced age, at his home, in Baltimore. At the time of Gen. E. Kirby Smith's surrender he commanded Brent's cavalry brigade and the front lines extended from the Arkansas river to the Gulf including the forts on the Red river. This brigade consisted of the Second, Fifth, Seventh and Eighteenth Louisiana cavalry. He commanded the wooden gunboat Queen, which captured the United States ironclad Indianola on the Mississippi river in February, 1863.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation

The Market.

Georgetown, Nov. 28.—Wheat 70@80.

Virginia News.

At St. John's Protestant Episcopal Church, at King George Courthouse, yesterday, Miss Austine Arnold became the bride of Paul Hobday.

In Richmond yesterday counsel for Mrs. Estelle Townsend Smith, of Manchester, convicted of causing the death of her five-year-old son, Ralph, by beatings, today filed a petition in the court of appeals for a writ of error.

In connection with the scandal at Shenandoah Valley Academy, at Winchester, caused by students circulating handbills refering to Professor Raymond White as "peeping Lizzie," about thirty students were yesterday supended, and will have to apologize before returning or else suffer expulsion.

Mr. Norris, of New York, who rents Gotier's place, near Widewater, for shooting purposes, last week turned out 150 partridges on a thirty-acre tract of land which the club owns near the mouth of Aquia creek. The birds are larger than the partridges of that section and resemble the New England quail.

Clerks in the first auditor's office are handling the returns from the transportation, telegraph and telephone companies of the State, which will this fall swell the coffers of the Commonwealth by $700,000 or more. There are listed for taxation in the State more than 5,000 corporations, and the revenue derived from these is greater this year than ever before.

Several valuable horses have recently been sold in Loudoun and Fauquier counties. R. Hunter Dulany sold a hunter for $800, and R. M. Peach sold his heavyweight jumper Mountain Girl for $1,000 to New York exhibitors. The chestnut mare Dazzle, owned by G. W. Chancellor, of Delaplane, has been sold to a Chicago exhibitor for $600. This mare won the Grafton Hunt Club cup at the Upperville Horse Show last June.

One is dead and another is fatally wounded as a result of a shooting affray which occurred at Sharps Corner, in Norfolk county, late Sunday night. Ernest Hobbs, it is alleged, went into a barroom and attacked Fred Hathaway with a beer bottle. While the two men were fighting, Hathaway drew a revolver and began firing, two of the shots striking Hobbs and the third lodging in the body of Buck Ford, who was attempting to act as peacemaker. Ford died shortly afterward and Hobbs is not expected to live through the night. Hathaway made his escape before the arrival of the police. No arrests have as yet been made.

THE MERIWETHER TRIAL.

The trial of Midshipman Meriwether, before a court-martial at the Naval Academy, at Anapolis, on the charge of manslaughter, is nearing a close. The prosecution closed a few days ago, after having introduced a number oi witnesses who told of the fight, and medical experts who gave it as their professional opinion that Midshipman Branch died from blows received in the fight with the accused.

Lieutenant Commander John K. Robison, counsel for the defense, stated yesterday afternoon when the court adjourned that when he had finished with the medical experts, who will tell what they learned by the the autopsy, he would put Meriwether on the stand as the last witness for the defense.

Most of the evidence yesterday was submitted to show longstanding animosity between Branch and Meriwether, and that the latter knew Branch had talked of using his position to carry on the grudge.

Both men fell together three times during the fight, it was testified, and Branch struck his head, but gave no sign of injury then.

Testimony as to the autopsy was nor ready to be introduced, but counsel for the defense asked an adjournment, to give him an opportunity to read the report.

The following letter, which Meriwether wrote Mrs. Branch a day or two after the death of her son, shows something of regret the accused feels at the fatal outcome of the fight:

"My Dear Mrs. Branch.—As deeply grieved as you are at the loss of your son, I am as much so as is possibla for a person other than a parent to be. This deplorable and unfortunate accident is one which will affect my whole life and career, and it has been deeply enrooted into my mind in such a manner as I shall never forget—that I have been the cause of a mother's and father's loss of their son, the loss of an efficient officer to the naval service and the bringing to an end of the life of one who had a promising and brilliant career before him.

"MINOR MERIWETHER."

A dispatch from Nashville, Tenn., says: Mrs. M. C. Goodlett, yesterday received a reply to the telegram which she sent to her young kinsman, Midshipman Minor Meriwether, in which he says:

"Dear Mrs. Goodlett: It is a difficult task to express my appreciation of the sympathy and kindness expressed in your telegram. When I read the editorials in the Southern papers and got the letters of sympathy of Southern friends, it stirred my blood, and made me proud of the fact that I was a Southerner and that my actions in this deplorable matter were in accordance with the tradiction of my people and family. Very sincerely yours.

"MINOR MERIWETHER, JR."

No Poison in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

From Napier, New Zealand, Herald: Two years ago the Pharmacy Board of New South Wales, Australia, had an analysis made of all the cough medicines that they declared were entirely free from all poisons. This exception was Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, made by the Chamberlain Medicine Company, Des Moines, Iowa, U. S. A. The absence of all narcotics makes this remedy the safest and best that can be had; and it is with a feeling of security that any mother can give it to her little ones. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is especially recommended by its makers for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. When taken in time it prevents pneumonia. This remedy is for sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

Every Ounce You Eat.

Every ounce of food you eat that fails to digest does a pound of harm. It turns the entire meal into poison. This not only deprives the blood of the necessary tissue-building material, but it poisons it. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is a perfect digestant. It digests the food regardless of the condition of the stomach. It allows that organ to rest and get strong again. Relieves Belching, Heart Burn, Sour Stomach, Indigestion, Palpitation of the Heart, etc. Sold by W. W. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

Today's Telegraphic News

Grave Conditions in Russia.

London, Nov. 28.—A dispatch to a news agency from St. Petersburg says that the entire Russian fleet at Sevastopol, is now under the command of a revolutionary admiral, and that the warships are threatening to shell the town.

Warsaw, Poland, Nov. 28.—Advices received today from Sevastopol, state that the mutinous seamen took possession of two of the warships in the port. The mutineers then weighed anchor and started for Odessa.

The authorities of Odessa, have received orders to prepare the coast batteries for action against the mutineers, in case of necessity to defend the city. The inhabitants are panic-stricken, and are leaving the city in large numbers.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 28.—The reports today from Sevastopol in regard to the mutiny there are very conflicting, but the most reliable news seems to be that the authorities continue to hold the mutineers at bay. It is hoped that the disturbances will soon come to an end and the town become quiet.

Several reports received this morning, are to the effect that a large number of soldiers have joined the mutinous sailors, but there is no confirmation of the dispatches. The mutineers, according to what is regarded as the best information, are in their barracks and are supplied with little food and water. It is not believed they will have sufficient hardihood to make a concerted sally from their quarters and engage the watching troops in pitched battle in the streets, although this appears to be the greatest fear of the St. Petersburg authorities.

Advices from the town of Kars say that the garrison there has been urged to mutiny by revolutionists and the subordinate officers of the command. Many of the latter have been arrested and will be court martialed.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 28.—Advices from Sevastopol state that the sailors ashore liberated yesterday Lieutenant Schmidt, an officer of the Black Sea squadron, who was in prison. Schmidt today went aboard the cruiser Otchakoff, and assumed command of the squadron. The governor ordered the squadron to leave the harbor, but the Lieutenant refused to obey. He notified the governor that if any of the soldiers under arrest were placed before a court-martial the cruiser would bombard the town. Schmidt was in prison awaiting trial for placing wreaths on the graves of the mutineers who were killed last July.

St Petersburg, Nov. 28.—Admiral Choukmin of the Black Sea fleet, reports that the disturbances at Sevastopol are dying down. The time limit given the mutineers to surrender, expires today, and the majority of them have agreed to surrender. Admiral Choukmin also reports that all the officers captured by the mutineers have been released.

Warsaw, Nov. 28.—All of the telegraph operators and postal clerks went on strike on six o'clock tonight. Detachments of infantry are now doing guard duty about all of the government buildings and stations. Up to the present time the city is quiet.

Emperor William's Condition.

Manchester, Nov. 28.—The Dispatch is authority for the statement that Emperor William of Germany will soon undergo an operation on his ear, which, if unsuccessful, may result, in serious brain trouble. The ailment from which the Kaiser is suffering is the disease of his left ear, from which he has suffered from birth. Recently the disease has developed serious symptoms which have caused a great deal of anxiety to his medical advisers. A distinguished London specialist has been summoned to Berlin to perform the proposed operation on the emperor. The present trouble with the ear was caused by a cold which the Kaiser caught while making a speech in the open air. This was followed by a severe attack of catarrh. This led to suppuration of the middle ear, causing a painful discharge and acute neuralgia, which the German aurists failed to relieve. The operation will be performed on the mastoid antrum. It is not necessarily serious in itself, but aside from the danger always inseparable from an operation in such a delicate region the disease may spread to the brain membranes after the operation producing meningitis, with all its correlating dangers. There is also the danger that the disease may spread from the antrum to the lateral sinus producing blood poisoning, which will almost certainly cause the patient's death, if the operation should be altogether unsuccessful. The patient runs the risk of developing serious brain trouble in any event.

Berlin, Nov. 28.—It is stated in official circles here that the report printed in the Manchester Dispatch today to the effect that the Emperor would have to undergo an operation is unfounded, the Emperor's health, it is said, is excellent in every respect.

Opening of the German Reichstag.

Berlin, Nov. 28.—The German Emperor formally opened the new session of the German Reichstag today at noon. According to the usual custom in Germany, the ceremony did not take place in parliament itself, but in the great White Hall of the Imperial palace. This custom is based upon the theory that the Emperor would sacrifice a portion of his imperial dignity if he were to go to the parliament building to perform the ceremony. The Kaiser never goes to the Reichstag, but the Reichstag comes to the Kaiser on all such State occasions. In the course of his address, to the Reichstag, the Kaiser dwelt upon the fact that peace had been brought about between Russia and Japan, and said. "It affords me unbounded satisfaction that I was able to support President Roosevelt's successful efforts to arrauge peace between Russia and Japan." The Kaiser emphasized the necessity for maintaining the triple alliance, and increasing Germany's armaments, thus enabling Germany to maintain her position among her rivals. He announced that bills will be introduced into the Reichstag increasing the army and navy, fixing new taxes on beer and tobacco, together with several measures providing for social reforms.

Storm on Lake Superior.

Superior, Wis., Nov. 28.—Lake Superior is being swept by a furious storm. The steamer Crescent City is ashore near Duluth, it is reported that a number of steamers are ashore on the Lake Superior coast and that the vessels are being pounded to pieces by the sea. This city and Lake Superior are in the grasp of the worst blizzard known here in thirt years. It is feared that the loss of life in shipping disasters will be heavy, but no details are obtainable, as the wires are down.

A report from Two Harbors is to the effect that a steamer in distress has been blowing signals since 3 a. m. Owing to snow flurries on the lake, it is impossible to ascertain the name of the vessel. Since 7 o'clock last night, the storm has been raging. A blinding wet snow, accompanied by a sixty-mile hurricane with the result that snow drifts four to six feet deep obstruct the principal streets. The cititizens in their homes are literally snowed in. The street car system is stalled with no hopes of resumption until the tracks under drifts are cleared.

Dispatches from other points represent the storm as being very severe.

The Meriwether Trial.

Annapolis, Md., Nov. 28.—Midshipman Branch, who died at the Naval Academy November 7th, after a fight with Meriwether died as the result of an immenfe blood clot on the left side of the brain. The operation for a clot was performed on the right side.

This was stated in testimony this morning by Dr. James D. Gatewood, naval surgeon, who related the findings of the autopsy on Branch's body, held Sunday. Practically no weakness was discovered in the system except in one of the kidneys, and the lungs and heart seemed, so far as could be learned, from the autopsy, to have been in excellent condition. Stating the finding of the surgeons, Dr. Gatewood, said:

"The body was relatively well preserved. There was marked evidence of a large contusion on the left side of the head, extending from the left templar region upward and forward. There was a small contusion, the size of a dime, at the basis of the skull. The face and forearms showed evidences of bruises. The teeth were all there and unloosened. Two prism like places appeared on the skin of the legs and a band of similar skin appeared on the forehead.

"The body was that of a well developed young man, with good shoulders and neck.

When the scalp was opened there was a marked evidence of blood diffusion. When the scalp was bared it was found unbroken and unmarred, except at the seat of the operation. When the skull was removed a contusion was found between the brain and skull. There was a marked bulging of the membranous covering at the left side. This membrane was of a bluish color and unbroken save for the operation.

Asked to which cause he was more inclined to assign Branch's injury, to repeated fist blows with punching-bag gloves or violent fall upon a floor under laid with concrete, Dr. Gatewood replied:

"I would consider the injury far more likely to be caused by the latter condition than by the direct impact of a fist."

Further testimony on the autopsy will be heard this afternoon.

Turkey's Answer.

Paris, Nov. 28.—Apparently with a view of placing the Turkish position more clearly before the world, the Turkish Embassy here today issued a lengthy note explaining the answer handed by the Turkish Minister for Foreign Affairs to Baron De Calice, Austrian Ambassador to Turkey, on November 22, in which the right of the powers to interfere in Turkish affairs was seriously questioned In its answer of that date, the Turkish government declares that the transfer of the Macedonia finances to foreign hands would be a relinquishment of recognized treaty rights that would nullify Turkish rule over that principality. In the explanation issued today it is declared that there was no intent to defy the powers, and no threats were made, rather the Turkish government felt called upon to express fears that the demands made would have a bad effect on the internal affairs of Turkey. The note is regarded here as a apology from Turkey intended to pave the way for a complete back-down of the Sultan.

Opening of the Austrian Parliament.

Vienna, Nov. 28.—The opening of the Austrian parliament today was marked by the announcement by the government of the intention to take one of the most revolutionary steps which has been seen in Europe within a generation. This declaration was made by Premier Gautch, who told the parliament in his opening address that a bill would be introduced granting universal suffrage to the people, and abolishing the present privileged classes of voters. Simultaneously with the opening of the parliament a temporary general strike was declared, tying up all industries to emphasize the demand being made by workmen for universal suffrage.

Apology from Russia.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 28.—A formal apology was sent today by the government to the American Embassy for the attack made in the streets of St. Petersburg, on Robert Woods Bliss, second secretary of the Embassy, by roughs who beat him severely and would probably have killed him had it not been for the timely interference in his behalf by the police. It is reported today that Mr. Bliss injuries are not as serious as was thought at first, and he is said to be practically well this morning.

Collision.

Havre, Nov. 28.—The steamer Gregory, belonging to the Ox-Currie Company collided with and sank the steamer Niobe of Glasgow, at the entrance to the harbor here today. The crew of the Niobe were rescued by life savers attached to the station near which the vessel went down. The bows of the Gregory are seriously damaged.

Will Return to Work.

Berlin, Nov. 28.—The strike of 40,000 textile workers in the Thuringian provinces of Germany has terminated in the crushing defeat of the strikers. The textile workers will resume work tomorrow on the terms dictated by the manufacturers. The trdes union which organized the strike is bankrupt. This is the third great victory of capital over labor in German strikes during the year of 1905.

Shot to Death by Mob.

Bloomington, Ind., Nov. 28.—John Scott, who shot and mortally wounded John Multez yesterday, was surrounded in the woods near West Baden this morning by a crowd of angry workingmen and shot to death. Multez was the foreman of a railroad gang and Scott shot him during a quarrel and escaped to the woods.

Cleared for Action.

When the body is cleared for action, by Dr. King's New Life Pills, you can tell it by the bloom of health on the cheeks; the brightness of the eyes; the firmness of the flesh and muscles; the buoyancy of the mind. Try them. At E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store, 25 cents.

The Spanish Minister of Marine has ordered the iron clad Emma Carlos V. to Barcee long to maintain orders.

British Cabinet.

London, Nov. 28.—Premier Balfour has called the cabinet for a meeting Friday. It is understood that further discussion will be had on the advisability of the present officers retiring and the calling of a general election in the next few weeks.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Several government buildings were burned to the ground at Sandy Hook, N. J., this morning, including the carpenter shop, tool shop and paint shop. Contents a total loss.

A dispatch from Savannah, Ga., says that A. Bannam, of Baltimore, jumped from the steamer Livingstone bound from Baltimore to Savannah Saturday night and was drowned.

Seth Perkins, a Boston contractor, today filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy. His liabilities are $410,324. His assets are scheduled "uncertain." His only asset is a share in a claim against the United States government assigned to the City Trust Safe Deposit and Surety Company, at Philadelphia.

The Japanese loen closed in London at one o'clock this afternoon. It is expected that the loan was several times over subscribsd. The price bid for bonds was 7-8 premium over the figure at which they were offered.

The Supreme Court of Massachusetts today overruled the exceptions and the motion for a new trial in the case of Charles T. Tucker, convicted of the murder of Mabel Page.

Negro Deputy Arrested.

A. W. Harris, colored, who was arrested in Petersburg last Saturday afternoon on two warrants, one charging him with stealing a bale of cotton, worth $42.18, from Arrington & Green, commission merchants of Petersburg, on November 20, and the other with the larceny of $42.18 from J. C. Robinson, who was accused of having purchased the alleged bale of stolen cotton, and bailed for his appearance before the mayor next Wednesday, was arrested yesterday on another warrant, charging him with the larceny of another bale of cotton on November 23, valued at $52, from the same firm. This warrant was the result of a confession made Sunday by Robert Trainer, colored, before Chief of Police Ragland and two others at the city jail.

The latter charge, involving more than $50, is a felony, and conviction could carry with it a penitentiary term. Trainer, in his confession, it is stated, said that Harris instigated the robbery, received all the money for the cotton and then paid him. Trainer was a few days ago sent on to the Hustings Court for trial for the alleged theft of the cotton. Shortly after his arrest yesterday Harris was released on $500 bail for his appearance in the Mayor's Court next Wednesday.

Harris is an internal revenue deputy in the district and was a delegate to the last national republican convention. He was at one time a member of the Virginia Legislature and for some time was an officer of the John Dix Industrial School in Dinwiddie county. He formerly practiced law here. He denies the charges and has engaged counsel to represent him.

[Harris will be remembered by many of the older residents of Alexandria, as he lived in this city shortly after the civil war and was prominent in reconstruction days.]

To Acquire Trigg Property.

The Southern Railway has made an offer acceptable to the bondholders' committee for the Trigg shipyard property, in Richmond, embracing all of the real estate of the shipbuilding company, except the dock. The offer, which has been virtually accepted, provides for the transfer of the lands of the Trigg shipyard, embracing about thirty acres.

The intention of the railroad company is understood to be the erection of a large freight depot and several warehouses along the property, and also to offer for sale a number of sites for private enterprises.

The Southern will spend approximately a million dollars in improving the land, and the industries which will be located there will go a long ways toward reimbursing the city for the losses sustained through the failure of the shipbuilding company. The property embraces more territory than will be needed by the railway company.

Death of Marshall Field, jr.

Marshall Field, jr., died at 5 o'clock yesterday evening at Mercy Hospital, Chicago. Mr. Field, who was the only son of Marshall Field, the multimillionaire of Chicago, was accidently shot on the afternoon of Wednesday, November 22. He was examining a new revolver which he had purchased, when it was discharged, the bullet striking him in the right side, perforating the liver and spleen, and injuring the spinal cord. He was hurried to Mercy Hospital, where an operation was at once performed and the bullet removed. The physicians from the first entertained but slight hopes of Mr. Field's recovery, although the patient for two days seemed to hold his own. At 9 o'clock yesterday morning a decided change for the worse took place, and Mr. Field grew rapidly weaker until his death. Death came quietly to young Field, who was unconscious nearly two hours before he died, the paralyzed spinal cord saving him from agony.

Killed by a Train.

Prof. H. S. Alexander, of Culpeper, was struck and instantly killed by northbound Chesapeake and Ohio passenger train No. 4 yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Professor Alexander, whose eyesight and hearing were both imperfect had, in returning home, to go over a crossing of the railroad, and there being a sharp curve at that point, he neither saw nor heard the fast approaching train, and just as his horse and buggy were on the crossing the pilot of the engine struck him and the buggy throwing him many feet from the track and demolished the buggy, tearing it from the horse, which was not injured. Professor Alexander, who was a native of Pennsylvania, was a Presbyterian minister, in addition to being an educator. He was 75 years old, and leaves a widow.

COURT OF APPEALS.

Cases argued: Norfolk Railway and Light Company vs. William Fully argued and submitted.

Townsend and Company vs. Norfolk Railway and Light Company. Partly argued and continued.

Next cases to be called: Murray and Anderson vs Moore, Hairston vs Danville and Western Railway Company, and Foreman vs. the German Alliance Insurance Company, being Nos. 4, 5 and 6 on the argument docket.

DIED.

On Monday, November 27, 1905, at 11:15 a. m., Mrs. FRANCES P. SMOOT, widow of the late Josiah H. D. Smoot. Funeral from her late residence, No. 611 Prince street, Wednesday afternoon, November 29, at 1:30 o'clock. Friends of the family invited. Interment private.

Alexandria Gazette.

TUESDAY EVENING, NOV. 28, 1905.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 6:57 a. m. and sets at 4:39 p. m. High water at 9:26 a. m. and 9:44 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section rain tonight; warmer. Wednsday fair, preceded by rain in the early morning; colder; fresh to brisk southerly winds.

Coroner's Inquest.

Dr. W. B. Purvis, Coroner, was engaged this afternoon in ascertaining the facts in connection with the killing yesterday of James Richardson, colored, near Spring Park. The jury was composed of the following: Messrs. J. Lowenbach, Richard Gibson, John H. Trimyer, C. J. W. Summers, E. Warfield, jr., and R. E Knight. Four bullets entered Richardson's body. Balls were found in the right leg and right arm, another penetrated the left side near the hip and ploughed its way through the intestines, and another entered the left side at a point about an inch below the heart. The latter was the direct cause of Richardson's death.

The jury, after hearing the evidence, retired and returned the following verdict:

"We the jury, find that the said James Richardson, deceased, came to his death by gunshot wounds of the abdomen and left lung, said shots having been fired by Alexandria policemen while in the discharge of their duty; and we further find that the said shooting was justifiable, and the coroner's jury discharges the said officers."

Case Continued.

Charles Twyner, colored, who was arrested yesterday by Officer Lyles charged with being one of the three negroes who on last Sunday afternoon held up and robbed Ed. Jones, colored, near Spring Park, was arraigned in the Police Court this morning. Jones said he recognized Twyman from the fact that he wore spring-heel shoes, but said a colored man who was with him at the time could corroborate his charge. The witness lives in this city and will be summoned to appear tomorrow morning to which time the investigation was adjourned. Jones said that when the three negroes accosted him one of them placed a pistol in his face and after taking $7.32 and a knife from him compelled him to take off his shoes and stockings and gave him two minutes' time to leave the neighborhood.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Charles Twyner, colored, arrested by Officer Lyles charged with highway robbery, had his case continued.

Butcher Russell colored, charged with escaping from jail, had 30 days added to his sentenee.

A saloon-keeper, arrested by Officer Beach charged with opening his saloon on Sunday, had his case continued.

Arthur Richardson, colored, charged with carrying concealed weapons, was fined $100.

Richard Pines, colored, arrested by Officers Nicholson and Bettis charged with trespass, was held for the action of the Alexandria county authorities.

Fined One Hundred Dollars.

Arthur Richardson, colored, who was arrested yesterday near Spring Park for carrying concealed weapons, was brought into the docket of the Police Court this morning. A pistol nearly a foot long had been taken from him. Richardson said he purchased the weapon in Washington for $11 and procured it for the purpose of defending himself, as he had heard of numerous robberies in the neighborhood in which he worked. Justice Caton said he would give him the maximum penalty, and fined him $100. Upon failure to pay the assessment he will serve several months in jail.

Found Dead.

Kate Hughes, alias Murray, a well-known colored woman, was found dead in bed at her home, No. 815 Wilkes street, this morning. The deceased lived alone and had not been seen by her neighbors for several days. The body was in a condition to warrant the supposition that the woman had died last Friday night. The finding of the body gave rise to a report that the woman was the victim of foul play, but there is every reason to believe that her death was due to natural causes.

W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U., of Easton, Md., observed World's Temperance Sunday by a grand union mass meeting. Six Sunday schools were represented and an attractive programme of music was rendered. Mrs. A. C. Weech delivered the address, an illustrated talk on "Which Shall it Be?" At night Mrs. Weech spoke to a large audience in the M. E. Church, presenting the temperance question in a unique and striking manner, speaking from the subject—Christ before Pilate.

Funeral.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Lenora I. Lambert took place from the residence, No. 314 Duke street, at ten o'clock this morning, and was attended by a number of relatives and friends of the family. The services were conducted by Rev. P. P. Phillips, and the interment was in the family lot in Union cemetery. The pallbearers were Messrs. John P. Robinson, Worth Hulfish, G. B. Carlin, Alonzo Houck, Edgar Warfield, sr., and Park Agnew.

The Electric Railway.

The work of making the big fill across the marsh at Alexander Island, on the Virginia side of the Potomac, to the new Highway bridge has been started by McMillan & McDermott, the contractors for the Washington, Alexandria and Mt. Vernon Railway. The tracks to be built on the new embankment will be doubled and will, it is expected, be ready for use early in the coming spring.

Will Probated.

The will of the late Mrs. Mary J. Hantzmon was admitted to probate today and W. L. Arnold and Jas. B. Arnold qualified as executors. After making some minor bequests, the deceased left her house, No. 220 north Patrick street, to W. L. Arnold; house No. 222 north Patrick street to J. B. Arnold and house No. 314 Third street, Washington, to W. L. and J. B. Arnold.

Personal.

Dr. and Mrs. Hugh McGuire are the guests of Mrs. Hunter McGuire in Richmond for a few days.

Mrs. Joseph Carr, of Newport News, announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Eleanor Harrison Carr, to Mr. Gardner L. Boothe, of this city. The marriage will take place in Washington February 1.

Mrs. India Henderson left this morning for New York to visit her son, Mr. John Albert Henderson, general traveling agent for the American Fertilizer and Chemical Co.

Rev. B. P. Truitt, of Washington, will preach in the M. P. Church tonight.

Mr. John A. Lannon, of this city, and Miss Rosina P. Sullivan, of Anacostia, will be married at 7 o'clock this evening at St. Teresa's Church, Anacostia.

Maj. and Mrs. J. W. Green have returned from North Carolina, where they spent the past summer and fall.

A Wizard from the Orient.

A Chinese conjurer named Ching Ling Foo came to New York recently and caused quite a sensation. The papers gave him lots of space and the public talked about him. What he did passed the bounds of the knowledge of other magicians and scientists haven't got any theory so far concerning how his tricks were accomplished. Mildred and Rouclere went to see him several times and got onto his tricks so cleverly that they were able to very shortly duplicate his deceptions and will present two or three of them here, or any special ones that are requested by the audience. It is the policy of the management of Mildred and Rouclere to present nothing but what is new and their own and aside from the duplication of some of Ching Ling Foo's magic, this policy will closely be adhered to on their engagement here. A very strong company of vaudeville artists also appears in their respective specialties. The indications are rather strong that these royal illusionists will draw the biggest audience of the season on next Thursday.

Corporation Court.

[Judge L. C. Barley presiding.]

The will of Mrs. Mary J. Hantzmon was admittsd to probate.

W. W. Cline tendered his resignation as constable for the Second ward, which was accepted.

Julius Pelton and W. A. Moore recently elected justices of the peace for the First and Second wards, respectively qualified as such.

Old Folds' Concert.

The members of Roberts Chapel, M. E. Church, colored, who are making an efforts for interior improvements, will give an old folks' concert Thanksgiving eve at the church, on south Washington street. They will be assisted by Thornton Lucas, Wm. Bryant and others and every effort will be made to render the entertainment enjoyable to all who may attend.

Woman's Auxiliary.

There will be a called meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to R. E. Lee Camp tomorrow Wednesday evening 8 o'clock. The object of the call is to perfect plans for the oyster supper to be held in Lee Camp Hall, on the 6th and 7th of December. It is hoped that the members of the Auxiliary will respond to this call as there is urgent need for all members to be present.

New Insurance Company.

Several prominent business men of this city are making preliminary arrangements for the organization of a joint stock fire insurance company in Alexandria. The capital stock is to be $25,000, $16,000 of which has, it is said, been already subscribed. The company is designed to be primarily a local organization.

Benefit Paid.

The trustees of Belle Haven Lodge, Knights of Honor, have paid to Mrs. Ida E. Beach $2,000, the amount of the benefit certificate held in that order by her husband, the late Joseph S. Beach.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The City Council meets tonight.

Three torpedo boats passed down the river from Washington this morning.

Attention is called to the advertisement in another column of doll sale on Thanksgiving afternoon by the Union Daughters.

There was an alarm of fire shortly after 12 o'clock today, caused by a slight fire at the residence of Mr. George Well, corner of Queen and Pitt streets.

Mr. Benj. Baggett who lives just across the city line in the county, says until further notice, or until the shooting stops, his place will be called Port Arthur.

The reporters' platform, desks and chairs have been arranged in the Police Court room. All have been painted and everything made neat and convenient by Officer Gill who has been looking to the comfort of the newspaper men.

The week of prayer observed annually by the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. Church South began yesterday afternoon with services in the lecture room of the church on south Washington street. Services will be held at 3 o'clock every afternoon during the week A sermon was preached for the society Sunday evening by Rev. J. P. Stump.

It is reported that the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company has placed an order for a ferryboat which will be a duplicate of the Woodbury, and which will be placed upon the route between this city and Washington as soon as completed.

Mhe Alexandria section of the Council of Jewish Women will give a dance tonight at Schuler's Hall. The receipts will be given to the Russian suffers,

R. D. Rogers, evangelist, will conduct services at the Village Chapel on Gibbon street, between Alfred and Patrick, tonight.

Perseverance Tent of Rechabites initiated nine new members last night.

Mr. George L. Young will have at his stand in market tomorrow (Thanksgiving Eve) some choice turkeys which have been grown on his farm in Fairfax county.

Fried Clams 30 cents a dozen. Oysters fried, stew or raw. Free lunch—hot sausage, C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space.

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For Rent.—Warm, nicely Furnished Rooms, $1.25 to $3.50 per week. 212 south Pitt street. noy23 1w*

Cadets Dismissed.

The situation at the Virginia Military Institute was relieved yesterday by the dismissal of nine cadets who willfully absented themselves from inspection Saturday afternoon. The nine were of the "oath-bound 13" who had pledged themselves not to apologize or in any way make amends for insubordinate conduct on November 2. One member of the 13, Percy S. Grant, of Richmond, apologized Saturday, and his stepfather, Dr. Charles V. Carrington, of Richmond, requested the young man's withdrawal from the school, which request was complied with.

It is said the act of absenting themselves from inspection Saturday was at the suggestion of Dr. Carrington, who advised the offending cadets to this course, in order to force their dismissal from the institute. All the members of the third class, with the exception of this small number, had complied with the requirements of the board of visitors, who demanded an expression of regret for insubordination. The 13, on account of the peculiar nature of their pledge, felt that they could not honorably recede from their position, and they at once accepted the suggestion to violate an important regulation in order to force their dismissal, that they might save their classmates.

The names of the dismissed boys are W. M. Bailey Gainesville, Texas;—Brevard, Charlotte, N. C.; W. H. Cottam, New Orleans; Marcellus Green, Jackson, Miss.; G. S. Johns, Austin, Texas; A. T. Riddicks, jr, Suffolk, Va.; J. Robertson, Charlotte, N. C.; W. C. Smith, Wheeling, W. Va.; W. H. Virden, Jackson, Miss.

It is believed that the dismissal of these offenders will settle the question of insubordination, which for weeks has agitated the institute.

Girl Travels Miles to Meet Her Wooer.

George Goode, of Albemarle county, recently determined that it was not good for man to live alone. He communicated his decision to relatives in Indiana, requesting that they interest themselves in his behalf and pick out a suitable help-meet for him. They hit upon Emma Steinback as a suitable girl for the future Mrs. Goode. She immediately posted off to Virginia, where, domiciled at the home of a mutual friend, she was offered the opportunity of becoming acquainted with her future lord and master. The gallant swain pressed his wooing with much determination. The wedding was celebrated with pomp and ceremony at Scottsville a few days ago, the entire population turning out to do justice to the occasion.

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Wine Glasses ..... 5c and 10c each
Fruit Saucers..... 3c and 5c each
Cranberry Bowls at..... 25c and 50c

Punch Bowls at..... $1.50, $2.98 and $3.50

Fine China.

We are showing a lot of new decorations in fancy pieces in china, including Plates, Cups and Saucers, Salads, Olive Dishes, Spoon Trays, &c., all at very reasonable prices.

Dinner Sets.

We have a complete line of both cheap and high grade Dinner Sets.
100 piece Sets, decorated in blue or green, at $8.49
100 piece Austrian China Dinner Sets at..... $14.98
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Dolls and Toys.

All ready for Christmas in the toy department. Make your purchases now while the stock is complete. If you can't spare all the money just now we will lay the article aside for you if you pay a small deposit on the same.

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THE JUNIOR DAUGHTERS OF THE MARY CUSTIS LEE CHAPTER, U. D. C., will hold their sale of
Dolls and Christmas Trifles
at 700 Duke Street,
THANKSGIVING EVENING,
from 2 to 5 o'clock. Admission: Adults, 5 cents; children free. Refreshments at reasonable rates. LOOK OUT FOR THE GOOSE. no28 2t*

FOR SALE.—One Sanders & Stayman piano cash credit certificate for twenty-five dollars as a partial payment on a new instrument. Will sell for fifteen dollars. Address "E," Gazette office. 1t

Fine COFFEES Granulated or Pulverized by new electric mill at J. C MILBURN'S

To the Members of Council,
Citizens and Tax Payers of Alexandria:

An ordinance will be reported to Council tonight granting an electric light franchise for Alexandria for 30 years to W. T. Barstow, of New York City, which, if passed, is not the most advantageous bid for Alexandria, because the city pays $75, instead of $65, or $850 per year more for 85 arc lights than our bid, or $25,500 in 30 years.

If the number of arcs is doubled $1,700 excess per year or $51,000 in 30 years. Because the city gets 5 per cent only of gross receipts, exclusive of arc lighting in lieu of taxes, and 10 per cent under our bid.

Because our bid is cheaper for electric current to consumers. We both agree to give 24 hours service. We propose to purchase current from the Potomac Electric Power Co., in Washington, thus insuring absolutely constant, full and efficient service at minimum cost to city and consumers.

Mr. Barstow is required in the ordinance to build a plant in Alexandria, but not to "construct, operate and maintain it for 30 years," nor is there any restriction as to cost and size of plant.

He can, if he wishes, erect an inexpensive plant, abandon it later and purchase current if he so desires, and he probably will if cheaper to do so, than operate a plant.

We understand the objection by the committee to our bid was, we would not agree to "construct, operate and maintain a plant in Alexandria for 30 years," and yet this is not made a condition of the proposed grant to Mr. Barstow

The question for Council to decide for the citizens and taxpayers they represent is, Will they vote to award the franchise to Mr. Barstow at a largely increased price for city arc lights and current to consumers over our bid, because he agrees to build a power house in Alexandria, or even to operate and maintain it for 30 years, and for which the city does not derive one cent of taxes or revenue in 30 years.

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Saved by Dynamite.

Sometimes, a flaming city is saved by dynamiting a space that the fire can't cross. Sometimes, a cough hangs on so long, you feel as if nothing but dynamite would cure it Z. T. Gray, of Calhoun, Ga., writes: "My wife had a very aggravated cough, which kept her awake nights. Two physicians could not help her; so she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which eased her cough, gave her sleep, and finally cured her." Strictly scientific cure for bronchitis and La Grippe. At E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store, price 50c and $1.00; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

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No Immigrants to the South.

Southern senators are apt to spring a subject of especial interest to that section during the coming winter. They will inquire to know how it happens that immigrants are landed here from various parts of Europe practically invoiced to their destination in the far west. This, it is claimed, is the practice of the steamship companies at this time, and has been for a long time past.

It is claimed that this practice is opposed to the immigration law, and it is likely that there will be an inquiry into the general subject of practices connected with the bringing of immigrants to this country. It is claimed that these immigrants arrive here not only practically ticketed for their destinations, but even the railroad over which they are to travel to the west is designated. All this, it is claimed, is directly in opposition to the clearly defined laws relating to immigration. They have also discovered that the South is absolutely boycotted by the immigrants because the maps distributed among them have the portion of the United States south of Mason and Dixon's line, painted black.

"It is all black and unfit for the settlement of white immigrants," it is said the prospective immigrants are told.

They are impressed with the idea that the south is laboring under such social conditions that any white man settling there will be obliged to associate with colored people and that he can never hope for the opportunities that are easily attained in the great northwest.

In the Folds of a Python.

Rudolph Fluegal, an animal keeper of the Cincinnati Zoological Gardens, in Cincinnati, had a narrow escape yesterday afternoon from being crushed to death in the folds of a huge python quartered in the snake cage. Fluegal had gone into the cage to sweep it out, but neglected to take the usual precaution of throwing a blanket over the reptile, which is one of the largest in captivity.

While he was at work the immense snake attacked him from the rear, sinking its fangs into his back. The keeper's heavy coat protected him from serious lacerations, but he was panic-stricken as he felt the coils of the long python envelop his body and slowly begin to tighten.

Keeper Edward Coyne and three assistants rushed into the cage, and while the former beat the reptile over the head to make it release its hold on Fluegal, the latter exerted their strength to unwrap its coils about the keeper's body. They did not succeed until it had been beaten into insensibility. Fluegal was unconscious when rescued, and it was an hour before the physicians resuscitated him. He is prostrated by the nervous shock due to fright.

Terrific Race With Death.

"Death was fast approaching," writes Ralph F. Fernandez, of Tampa, Fla., describing his fearful race with death, "as a result of liver trouble and heart disease, which had robbed me of sleep and of all interest in life. I had tried many different doctors and several medicines, but got no benefit, until I began to use Electric Bitters. So wonderful was their effect, that in three days I felt like a new man, and today I am cured of all my troubles." Guaranteed at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store; price 50c.

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SATURDAY,
December 2, 1905,

at 12 m. the following described real estate in said city of Alexandria:

Beginning at "7" on the north side of Commerce street seventy-three feet three inches east of West street, and running thence north ninety-six feet to "8," the south side of an alley supposed to be twelve feet wide twenty-four feet east of West street; thence with said alley and parallel with Commerce street six and three-fourths feet to "C," the northeast boundary of the original lot; thence south and perpendicular to Commerce street ninety-five and one-fourth feet to "D," the north side of Commerce street; thence with Commerce street west eighteen and one-half feet to the beginning, together with the improvements thereon, and all rights and appurtenances to the same belonging.

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1905.

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THE MECHANIC'S BUILDING ASSOCIATION NO. 5 of Alexandria, Va., by JOHN M. JOHNSON, attorney.
nov27 td

MEETINGS.

A SPECIAL MEETING of the stockholders of the SEMMES-KELLEY COMPANY will be held at the principal office of the company, 111 south Fairfax street, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, on FRIDAY, December 15, 1905, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the election of officers and directors and the transaction of any other business that may be presented to the stockholders.

EDWARD J. KELLEY, Secretary.
no10 30t

THE ANNUAL ELECTION OF DIRECTORS for the ensuing year by the stockholders of THE STANDARD BRICK COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, room 2, 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria Va., MONDAY, December 11, 1905. Polls open from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock p. m., in pursuance of bylaws of said company.

By order of the President.
T. L. HOLBROOK.
Attest: HENRY P. WEST, Secretary.
nov10,20,27, dec4, 11.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON FERTILIZER CO., for the election of officers and directors for the ensuing year and for such other business as may come up, will be held at the office of the company, No. 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., at 11 o'clock a. m., on WEDNESDAY, December 13th, 1905.

JOHN F. WILKINS, President.
LOUIS BEYER, JR., Secretary.
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PROPOSALS.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the City Engineer and Committee on Streets until 12 o'clock m., MONDAY, December 4, 1905, stating the charge per hour between the hours of 5 a. m. and 11 p. m. for two horses and a driver to operate a Street Sprinkler and Sweeper, which will be furnished by the city, and to remove sweepings from the vitrified brick pavements; also stating charge per hour when used on streets paved with cobblestones. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

E. S. LEADBEATER,
Chairman Committee on Streets.
no22 td

GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERMASTER'S Department, Washington, D. C., November 22, 1905.—Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received at this office until 2 o'clock, p. m., Wednesday, December 6, 1905, for grading and resurfacing the road between Fort Myer Drill Ground and the Arlington National Cemetery, Virginia. Specifications and information can be obtained on application to this office. U. S. reserves right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Grading and Resurfacing Road," and addressed to Captain A. W. BUTT, Quartermaster, U. S. A., in charge of Depot.
no23,24,25,27,dec4,5

GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERMASTER'S Department, Washington, D. C., November 20th, 1905.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 2 o'clock, p. m., Monday, December 4th, 1905, for constructing a wire fence at Signal Corps Post, Fort Myer, Va. Plans and specifications can be seen and information obtained on application to this office. U. S. reserves right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Constructing Wire Fence," and addressed to Captain A. W. BUTT, Quartermaster, U. S. A., in charge of Depot.
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no13 td

LEGAL NOTICES.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Having qualified as the executor of the will of the late DONALD McLEAN, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said decedent to come forward and settle, and persons having claims against his estate will present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.

LEWIS H MACHEN, Executor.
no18 10t

HAVING QUALIFIED AS ADMINISTRATOR of the estate of ANNIE F. CHARLES, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to me, duly verified, for payment. All persons indebted to said estate are notified to make settlement at once.

HARRY F. CHARLES,
Administrator of the estate of Annie F. Charles. no21 10t*

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Having qualified as the administrator of the estate of HATTIE V. CREIGHTON, I hereby give notice that all persons having claims against the estate can present the same to me for payment and all persons indebted to the estate please settle the same.

FRANK C. CREIGHTON,
Administrator of the estate of Hattie V. Creighton. no21 10t

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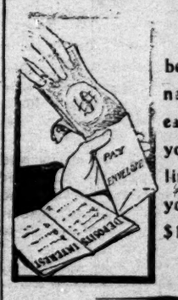

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7:52 A. M.—Daily—Local for Front Royal, Warrenton, Danville and way stations.

11:08 A. M.—Washington and Florida Limited. Sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.

11:32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing-room sleeping cars to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch.

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

7:47 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Florida Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville. Sleepers to Augusta and Port Tampa. Dining car service a la carte.

10:17 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service.

11:05 P. M.—Daily—Washington and South-western Limited. All Pullman train, club car to Atlanta, observation cars to Atlanta, Macon Sleepers to Nashville, Atlanta, Macon, Birmingham, Memphis and New Orleans. Dining car service.

Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 6:19, 6:35, 9:23, 9 33 A. M. and 2:43, 9:13 and 9:33 P. M. daily. From Harrisonburg 11:38 A. M. week days and 9:03 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:53 A. M. and from Lynchburg 9:03 P. M. daily.

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In effect November 1, 1905

LEAVE ALEXANDRIA.

For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days at 5 45, 6 10x, 6 20, 6 35x, 6 45, 7 00x, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 50x, 8 00, 8 15x, 8 20, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 00, 11 15 and 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 12 45, 1 00, 1 20, 1 45, 2 10, 2 45, 3 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4 10, 4 35, 4 50x, 5 10, 5 20, 5 35, 5 45, 6 00, 6 10, 6 30, 6 55, 7 15, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

Saturdays only, 6 45x, 8 15x and 10 10x p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 8 10, 8 15, 9 00, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15 and 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 20, 8 40, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30 and 11 10 p. m.

LEAVE WASHINGTON.

For Alexandria, from the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 12th street, week days, 6 20 6 45x, 6 55, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 45x, 7 55, 8 25 8 50, 9 10, 9 40, 10 00, 10 05x, 10 30, 11 00 11 30 a. m. 12 00 noon, 12 15, 12 35, 1 00, 1 25 1 55, 2 00x, 2 30, 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 15, 4 35x 4 40, 4 55x, 5 05, 5 15x 5 25, 5 45x, 6 00, 6 15x 6 30 6 45x, 7 00 7 10, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10, 11 50 p. m. and 12 30 a. m.

Saturdays only, 7 30x, 9 00x and 11 00x p. m.

Sundays—7 35, 8 45, 9 00, 9 35, 10 10, 10 40, 11 00, 11 30 a. m., 12 00 noon, 12 30, 1 00, 1 30, 2 00, 2 30, 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 30, 6 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 6 52, 8 32, 10 32, 11 32 a. m., 12 32, 1 32 2 32, 3 32, 4 47, 5 40, 7 05 and 9 05 p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 9 32, 10 41, 11 40 a. m., 12 40, 1 40, 2 40 3 40, 4 47, 7 05, 9 05 and 10 25 p. m.

FOR ARLINGTON.

Leave Alexandria 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 00 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 15, 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 1 00, 1 45, 2 10, 2 40, 3 00, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55, 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15, 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 5 00, 5 40, 6 20, 7 00 and 7 40 p m.

FOR ROSSLYN.

Leave Alexandria for Rosslyn, week days 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 00, 10 00, 10 25, 11 40 a. m., 1 00, 2 45, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55 and 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 11 15 a. m. 12 15, 1 20, 2 20, 3 20, 4 20, 5 40, 7 00 and 7 40 p. m.

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LEAVE WASHINGTON, D. C.—6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30, 11:30 a. m., 12:30, 1:30, 2:30, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, 6:30 p. m.

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